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REPLY TO FINAL REJECTION

Sir:

In response to the final rejection mailed March 30, 2006, reconsideration is respectfully requested.

A current listing of the claims is attached. No amendments were made.

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